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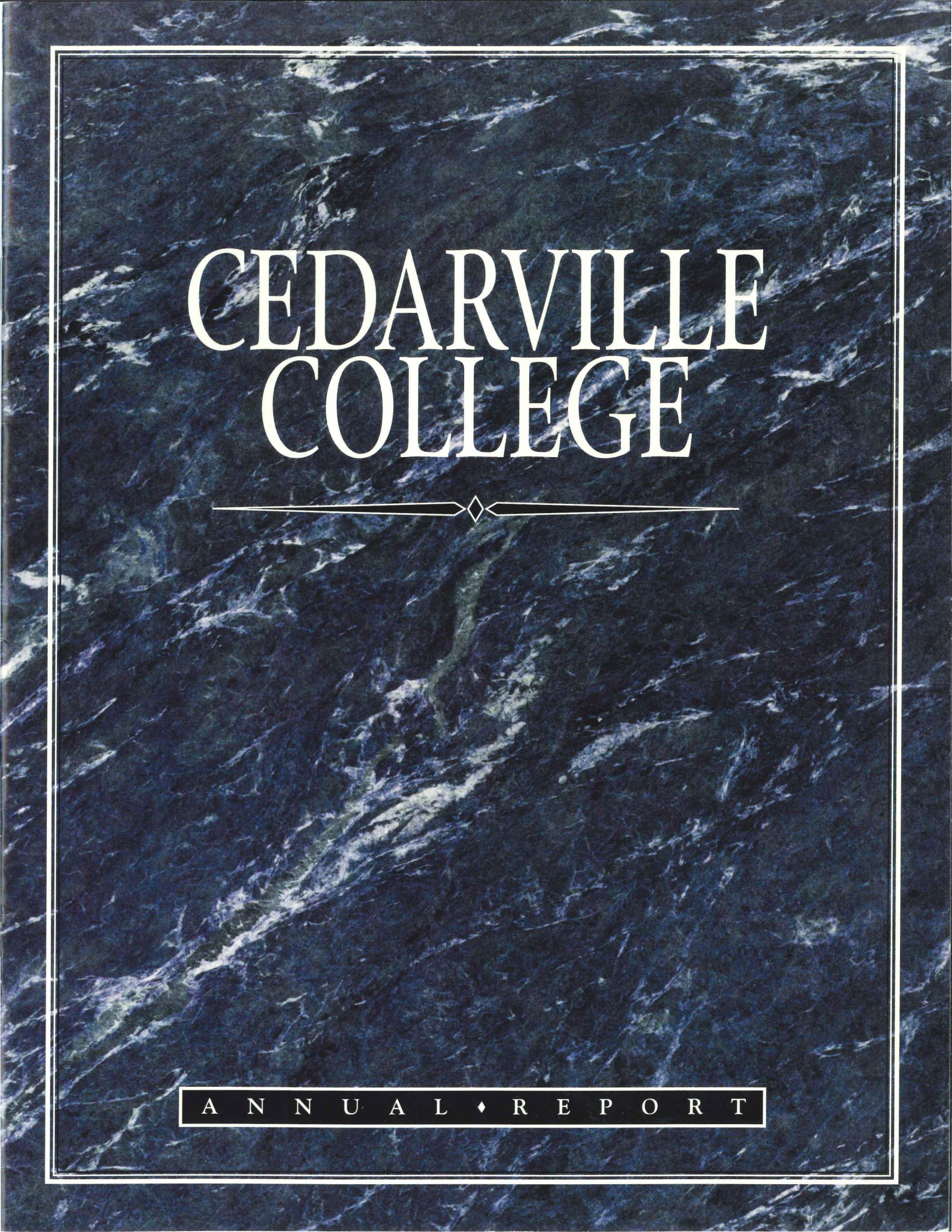
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## President's Message

Reflecting on the past year, I can best summarize my response as one of gratitude. Gratitude for the abundance of God's blessing on Cedarville College as evidenced by a growing student body, the construction of new facilities, and the opportunities for new ministries. Gratitude for the exceptional people led by God to serve among our growing numbers of faculty and staff. And gratitude for the many friends of Cedarville College who make all of this possible through their generous support.

Higher education today faces the critical challenge of determining how to deliver more value to students and create a competitive advantage. It is out of this environment that Cedarville College has risen to the forefront of Christian higher education. The College has moved to this position through a steadfast commitment to our mission—to offer an education consistent with biblical truth—and strategic planning. Through the successful implementation of strategic planning, Cedarville has built a competitive advantage based on its distinctives.

Cedarville College is distinctly Christian. Each year the number one reason students give for choosing Cedarville is the spiritual reputation of



the College. Daily chapel services continue to be the primary vehicle for building into the lives of our students, as leading pastors, Bible teachers, missionaries, and professionals from around the world challenge and encourage us to godly living. The ministry emphasis of the College encourages and equips students to become involved with church, community, and gospel team ministries, as well as short-term missions. Students are challenged to consider how they will impact their world for Jesus Christ.

The integration of Scripture into each academic discipline creates a distinctive academic program that increasingly attracts some of the nation's sharpest students. Professional accreditation, recognized faculty, advanced computer technology, and excellent facilities prepare students to succeed in the fast-changing, highly technical economy they enter upon graduation.

Our free enterprise philosophy, practice, and instruction drives a pricing policy that is distinctly different from the mainstream of higher education, emphasizing cost control and sound fiscal management. As a result, we offer students a quality experience at 30 percent less than the national average, making Cedarville College one of the "Best Buys," according to *U.S. News & World Report*.



I trust you will rejoice with us as you review the highlights from the past year and pray for God's continued blessing as we look forward to the year ahead.

Paul Dixon

President

January 1996



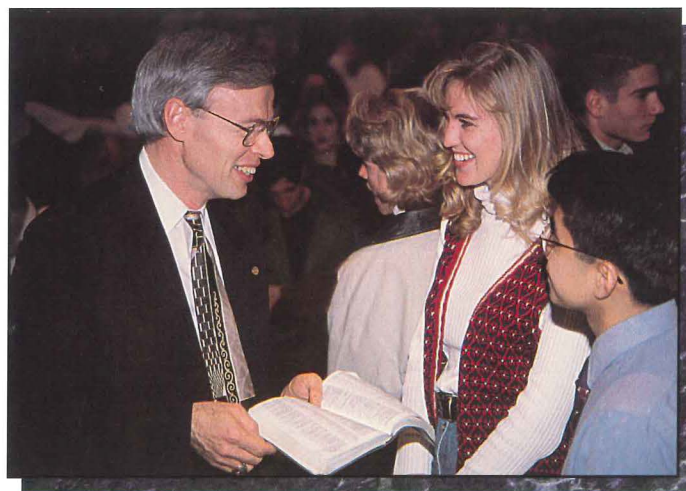
# Chapel

One of the questions most often asked by Cedarville alumni is, "Do you still have daily chapel?"

The chapel program is clearly a distinctive of Cedarville College. It's "family." It's daily. It's required. Each weekday morning at 10 a.m., students and faculty gather in the current chapel and in three satellite auditoriums for praise, worship, and learning from the Word of God. The annual Fall Bible, Winter Enrichment, and Spring Missions Conferences offer the addition of evening services at the beginning of each quarter.

According to President Dixon, "Chapel is the heartbeat of a Christian college." Committed to providing a quality chapel experience, he selects the chapel speakers, who range from missionaries and seminary deans to inner city workers and business leaders. Dr. Dixon delivers challenging messages and encourages spiritual growth during his Monday messages.

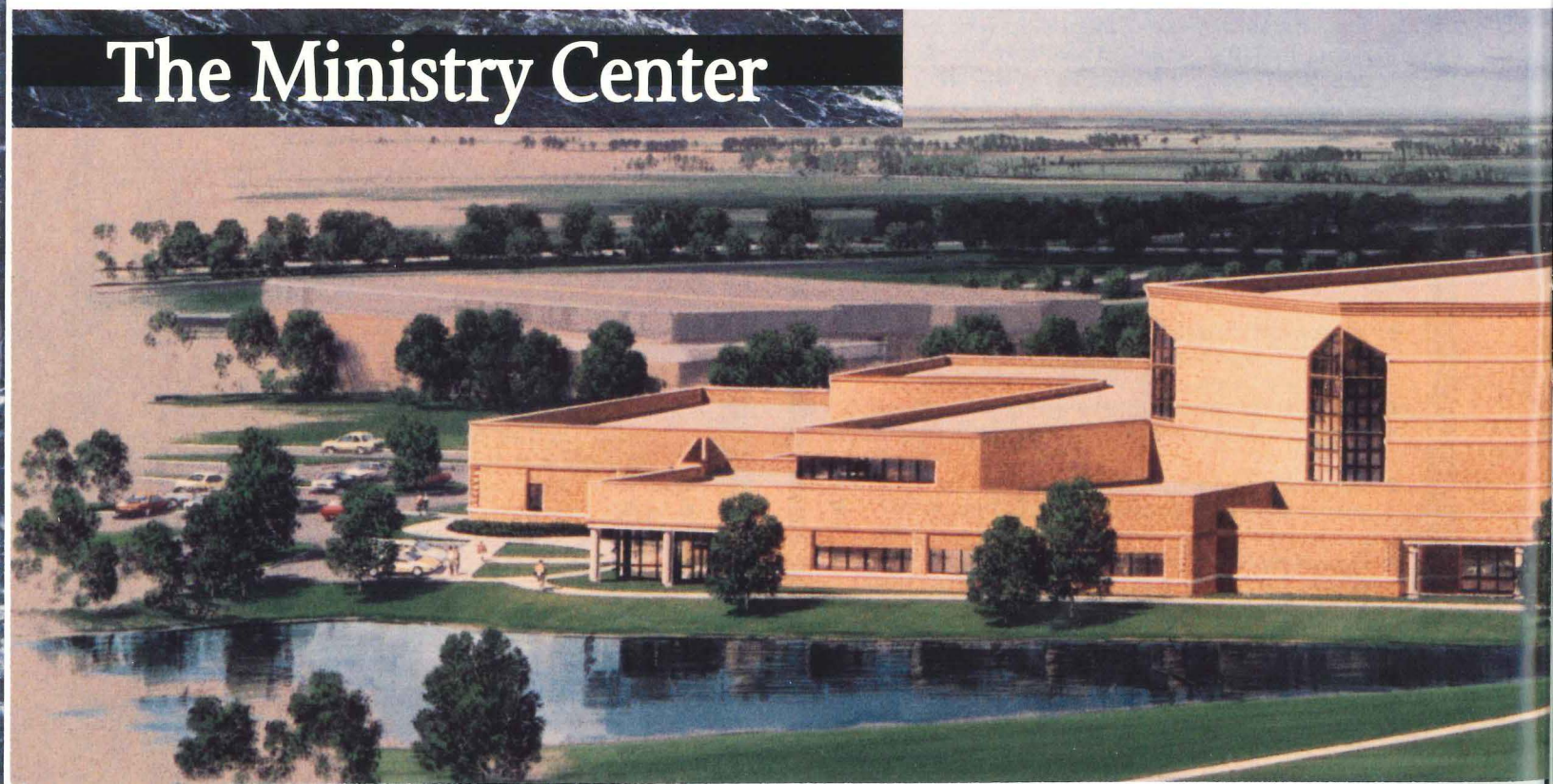
The college family has outgrown the present chapel building. Because of our priorities and the value of a shared chapel experience, the College has committed to providing a new 3,400 seat chapel auditorium in The Ministry Center, currently under construction. The new chapel will be expandable to seat 4,000. Once again, the entire college family will be able to meet under one roof for chapel services with ample room for visitors and friends. The new auditorium will accommodate larger audiences for conferences, major concerts, artist series performances, and commencement.



*Robert Rohm assumed the role of vice president for Christian ministries and campus pastor in June 1995.*

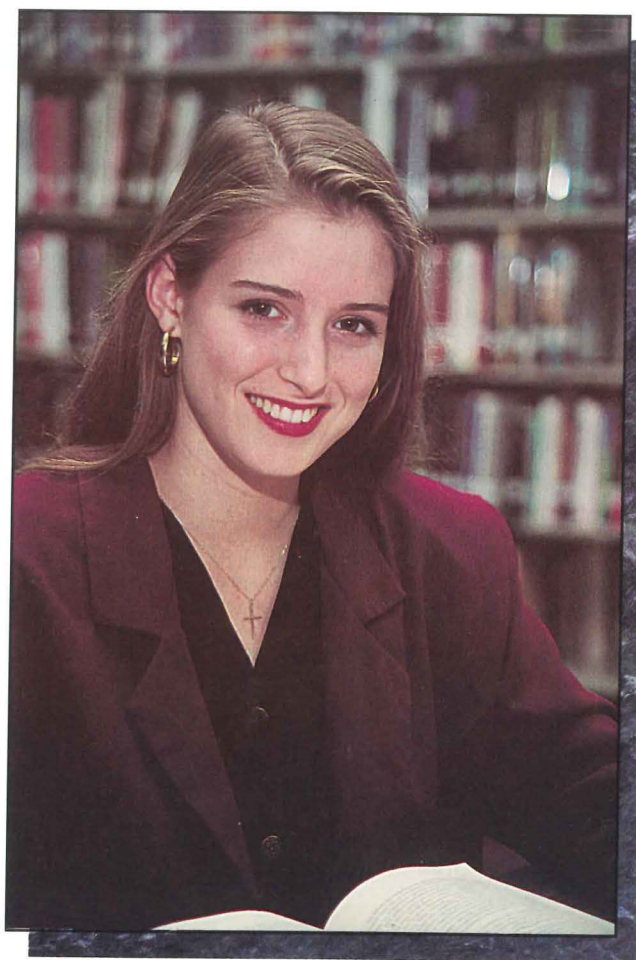
- ◆ Fall Bible Conference featured author and conference speaker Dr. Warren Wiersbe. Dr. Tony Evans, pastor of Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship in Dallas, Texas and radio Bible teacher, brought messages for the Winter Enrichment Conference.
- ◆ Ed Lewis, former missionary to Eastern Europe, and Grady Toland, missionary to Chile, keynoted the Spring Missionary Conference.
- ◆ The College observed the biannual Day of Prayer during fall and spring quarters. Morning classes were cancelled and offices closed to allow the students, faculty, and staff to take part in various prayer opportunities.

# The Ministry Center





*"I chose Cedarville because I was looking for a place that taught biblical truth and encouraged excellence. Cedarville—especially daily chapel—has caused me to grow in my faith and clarify my beliefs about God and His creation. Dr. Dixon is right on our level when he speaks to us in chapel on Monday mornings. I also enjoyed hearing Dr. Tony Evans and Dr. Warren Wiersbe when they spoke in chapel this year. The spiritual atmosphere at Cedarville is just awesome."*



*Julie Jaskilka  
Sophomore English major  
Eugene, Oregon*





# Music

Cedarville alumni who majored in music have distinguished themselves as music educators, church musicians, composers, performers, and studio teachers. Since music is an essential part of Christian worship, service, discipleship, and evangelism, the Department of Music also encourages students preparing for other professions to excel in music. Majors and nonmajors alike can receive individual instruction from the 18-member artist faculty who hold highly respected academic and performance degrees. Students also participate in 14 major performing groups and ensembles. Hundreds of students across the spectrum of academic disciplines gain valuable music experience to carry with them into their families, local churches, and other ministries.

Facilities in The Ministry Center will support the quality and professionalism of the music program and also will bring together the Department of Music which has been scattered throughout several older buildings around the edge of campus.



*Dr. Lyle Anderson, professor of music, directs the 60-voice Concert Chorale.*

- ◆ Two major music groups toured in spring 1995. The Brass Choir travelled throughout Ohio, Tennessee, and Kentucky; and the Concert Chorale went to the Czech Republic.
- ◆ Senior music students give recitals in partial fulfillment of their degree requirements. While these recitals showcase their performance skills, the recital represents a culmination of four years of study and individualized instruction in music.
- ◆ Cedarville musicians ministered to young people through the Music Showcase Weekend for high school musicians, the High School String Weekend, and the Young People's Concert for elementary school students.
- ◆ Charles Pagnard, associate professor of music, has been principal trumpet for the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra for the past 13 years. Professor Pagnard is a long-time member of the popular Carillon Brass ensemble, which released its third recording in 1995.



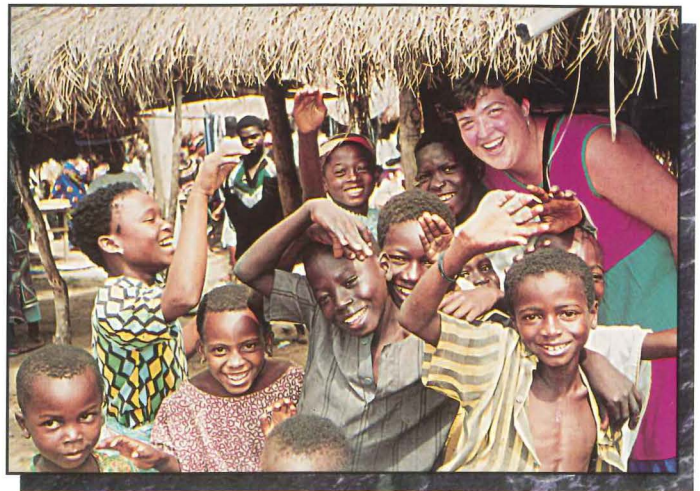


# Christian Ministries

Christian ministry has long been a distinctive component of the Cedarville experience. It is a passion of President Dixon. Believing that this world will be changed from the pew as well as the pulpit, Dr. Dixon assigns a seat on his executive council to a vice president for Christian ministries. The result of this emphasis is a pervasive program involving students from every academic discipline.

For 25 years students have served around the world under Cedarville's Missions Involvement Service (MIS), ministered across the U.S. with Gospel and ministry teams, and touched the lives of thousands through community agencies and local churches. These ministries, many initiated by students, provide an opportunity to share the love of God with those whose lives they touch.

To accommodate the ever-expanding program, the Christian Ministries Division will be headquartered in the new Ministry Center, with its own office, instructional, and rehearsal facilities.



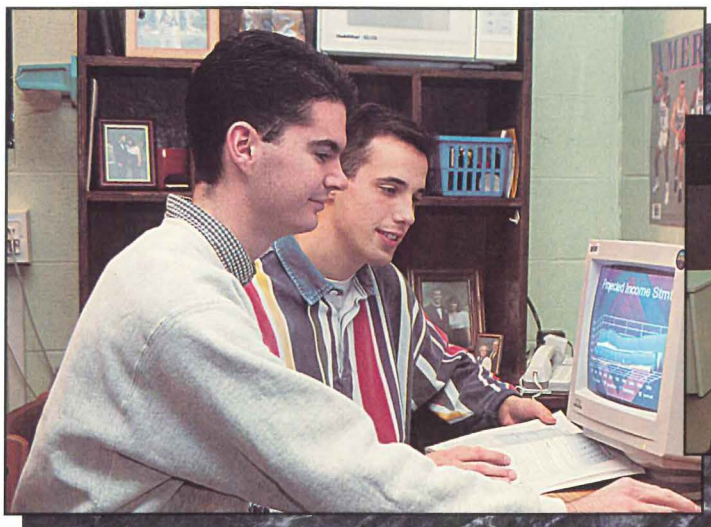
*Nursing student Christina Braley spent four weeks at the Karolyn Kempton Memorial Hospital in Togo, Africa, as part of a short-term missions experience. Three more Cedarville College MIS nursing teams served in Thailand, Central African Republic, and Alaska.*

- ◆ Students continued to volunteer over 70,000 hours of service in nursing homes, jails, hospitals, detention homes, and other community agencies. Teams ministered in 480 churches during the year.
- ◆ During the annual Barney's Week in the spring, students found creative ways to help residents of the county with clean-up projects. The event was named for the disciple Barnabas, known as one who gave comfort and encouragement.
- ◆ Two MIS teams used the Christmas break and sports to share the gospel of Jesus Christ. A men's soccer team went to Bangladesh and a women's volleyball team, to Dominican Republic. They competed, offered clinics, and worked with local churches.
- ◆ Nearly 200 students used spring break to minister in Jamaica, Czech Republic, and Nepal; Florida, Kentucky, Virginia, and North Carolina; and the cities of Chicago, Indianapolis, and Kansas City.
- ◆ A record 242 individuals (including 16 faculty and 11 staff) supported the international efforts of full-time missionaries and national pastors in Australia, Central African Republic, China, England, Hungary, Italy, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Japan, New Zealand, Niger, Philippines, Portugal, South Africa, Spain, Swaziland, Thailand, and Togo.

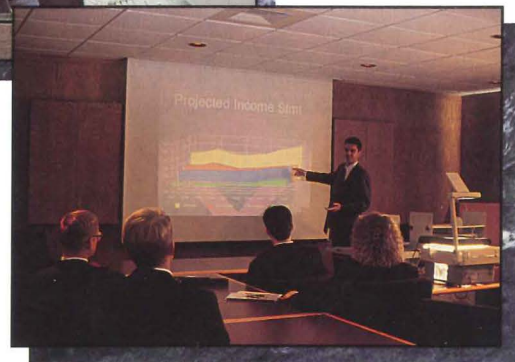
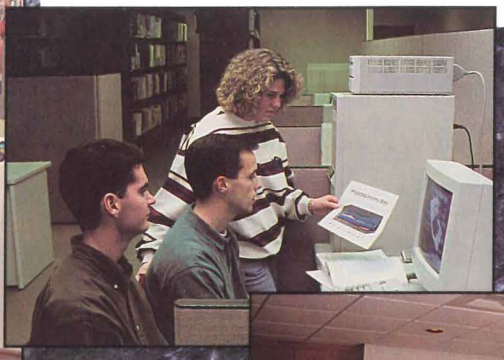




# CedarNet



*Students analyze real life problems and offer solutions with the use of multimedia presentations produced using CedarNet.*



Cedarville College continues to strengthen its reputation in higher education as a leader in the application of computer technology. In its fourth year of implementation, the campuswide computer network, CedarNet, continues to grow in size, power, and use. The application of network technology in all academic disciplines provides students with the tools and skills necessary to compete in a workplace where information and a working knowledge of computer technology are the keys to success.

Computer network technology is transforming the classroom for both student and teacher. Whereas in the past the number of volumes in the library was the key to access of information, the key today is network technology. Through CedarNet and its connection to wide area networks, Cedarville students have access to libraries, research centers, and databases around the world—24 hours a day, seven days a week. Information once available to a select few can now be obtained, analyzed, and summarized in professional-looking, multimedia presentations.

CedarNet has permanently changed the way communication takes place. Ninety-five percent of the faculty and 80 percent of the student body reportedly use the network daily. Cedarville Communication Arts Professor Wes Baker stated in an October 10, 1994 Associated Press article that students feel that "contact with professors has risen, because they (students) can just zip off a question."

CedarNet is also viewed as a vehicle for ministry. Cedarville students were the highlight of an April 3, 1995 *Christianity Today* article which investigated the opportunities for Christians in cyberspace. CedarNet, through its connection to the Internet and World Wide Web, allows students and faculty to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ to computer users around the world with the click of a button.

- ◆ CedarNet connects over 95 percent of the dormitory rooms on campus to the campuswide computer network through computer workstations in the rooms. Students also have access to the network through public labs on campus. In the residence halls, 553 rooms are equipped with 486SX or 486DX processors. Another 422 dormitory rooms are equipped with Pentium processor computers, one of the fastest available today.
- ◆ CedarNet links over 1,400 computers and features over 200 software packages, including multimedia instructional tools, as well as access to the information superhighway via Internet.
- ◆ Cedarville and the Coalition for Christian Colleges and Universities cosponsored a computer networking seminar on campus for 125 representatives of 52 colleges and universities across the United States and Canada.
- ◆ Cedarville opened its World Wide Web (WWW) pages on the Internet, providing users around the world with instant access to information about admissions, student life, faculty, staff, students, alumni, and a variety of other aspects of the College. Cedarville's WWW address is <http://www.cedarville.edu>.



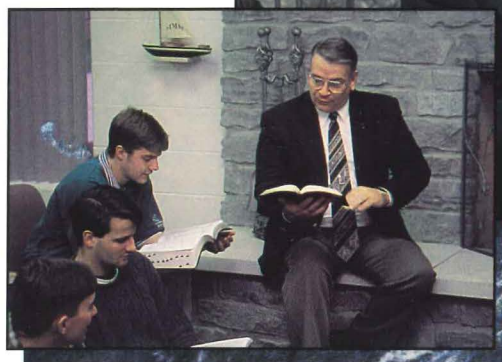
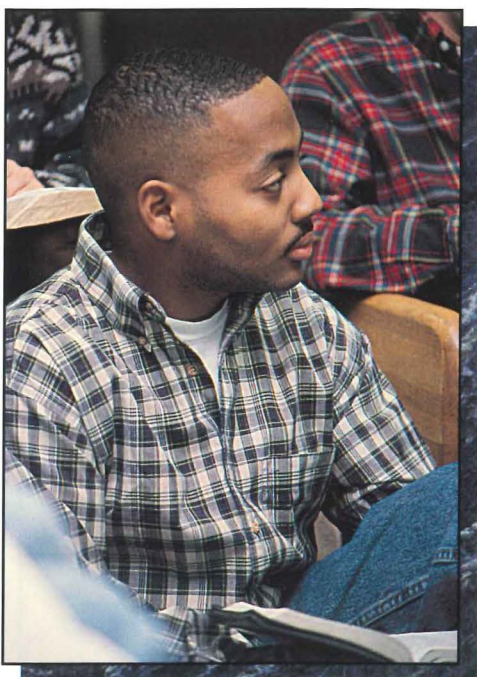
# Student Life

Discipleship opportunities, social interaction, and lasting friendships formed in the dormitory environment make the Cedarville College residence hall program a distinctive and an essential part of the Cedarville education. After all, it is in the residence halls that God-honoring, lasting friendships develop. In response to the growing student population and a desire that all students be able to benefit from the residence hall experience, the College constructed two 125-bed residence halls, one for men and one for women. A common conference center, named in honor of Robert Miter, a long-time friend of the College, connects the two dormitories. The center provides a recreation/meeting area for students which fosters fun times and deeper friendships.

Cedarville's Student Services Division advances the mission of the College by offering programs and services consistent with the College's objectives. Student services is composed of personnel who provide assistance and direction in the areas of career services,

counseling, residence hall life, financial aid, campus activities, and health services. Each of these offices plays an important role in students' lives, whether it be providing them with wholesome activities while they are on campus, offering advice about careers, or finding just the right roommate.

*Dorm devotions provide the ideal informal setting for faculty to both challenge and encourage students spiritually. Dr. Richard Blumenstock, assistant professor of biblical education, uses dorm devotions as an extension of his classroom ministry.*



*"We have a lot of fun together in my residence hall; but more importantly, we challenge each other spiritually through our unit devotions and we constantly check up on each other. Proverbs 27:17 says, 'As iron sharpens iron, so a man sharpens the countenance of his friend.' I really enjoy that type of accountability. And I know my friends at Cedarville are genuine; they are friends who will stick by me no matter what the circumstances."*

*Chuck Quarles  
Junior Communication Arts/Music Performance major  
Richmond, Virginia*

- ◆ The Campus Activities Board brought these performers to campus: The African Children's Choir, harpist Greg Buchanan, The King's Singers, The A.D. Players, Leon Bates, and Max McLean. The college family also enjoyed the annual Prism Concert, Symphonic Band, Brass Choir, Oratorio, Lab Band, and Chamber Music Night, as well as these drama productions: *The Diary of Anne Frank*, *Talley's Folley*, and *Much Ado About Nothing*.
- ◆ *Thursdays Live* offers students a unique opportunity to discuss the practical application of biblical principles to their lives. Started in 1991, *Thursdays Live* incorporates humorous skits and lively, moderated discussions to teach biblical responses to current issues. Between 850 and 1,000 students attend each *Thursdays Live* session.
- ◆ *Fit To Be Tied*, a premarriage counseling program offered by the College's counseling staff, gives engaged and preengaged student couples a chance to evaluate their readiness for marriage. Currently, 43 student-couples are enrolled.
- ◆ McKinney Hall and McChesney Hall—residence halls named for the first two presidents of Cedarville College, Drs. David McKinney and Wilbert McChesney—were opened to students for the 1995-96 year. Each room is equipped with a computer workstation that connects to CedarNet.



# Building Value

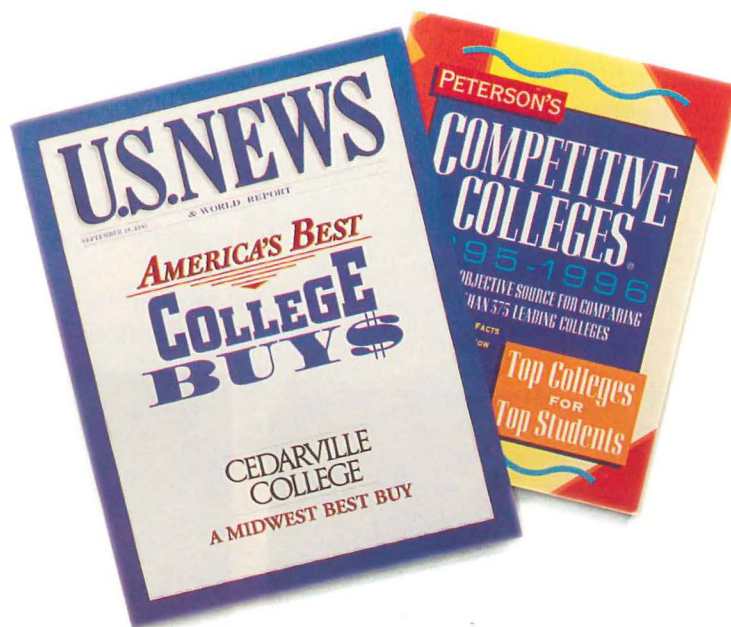
**C**onservative and sound. These are words that embody the Cedarville College philosophy of financial management, a philosophy resulting from our biblical view of stewardship and commitment to free enterprise.

Sound financial management has resulted in 16 years of balanced budgets and allows the College to invest in its long-term growth, building additional value for our students. It also results in student costs that are typically 30 percent less than the national average for independent colleges. Cedarville's tuition, room, board, and fees for the 1995-96 school year total \$12,576.

High quality and competitive pricing—a formula for value. That is the kind of value measured in a 1995 *U.S. News & World Report* study that ranked Cedarville College as a "Best Buy" among liberal arts colleges in the Midwest. While most colleges and universities create affordability through government funding and redistributing student tuition in the form of scholarships, Cedarville has pursued an unconventional course. Through the generosity of donors and sound management of finances, Cedarville keeps costs low for all students, minimizes tuition redistribution, and accepts no federal, state, or local government funds for either operating or capital purposes. Cedarville College is regularly recognized by the

John Templeton Foundation in its Honor Roll of Free Enterprise Teaching Colleges.

Fund-raising for construction of The Ministry Center began in 1995. This \$15 million project is the largest in the 108-year history of Cedarville College. While off to a great start, the successful completion of this campaign will require the continued generous support of our friends.



## Funding Our Distinctives

### ◆ 1995-96 budget: \$30,453,195

#### General Fund Expenditures 1994-95

Instructional and Academic Support	\$9,858,712
Institutional Support	5,919,917
Auxiliary Support	3,909,248
Debt Services	2,607,079
Physical Plant	1,780,004
Student Services	1,708,526
Student Aid	894,907
Non-mandatory Transfers	1,812,778
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$28,491,171</b>

#### Gift Income 1994-95

Alumni	\$466,576	9.6%
Parents	947,376	19.5%
Friends	1,565,606	32.1%
Foundations	953,011	19.6%
Corporations	411,840	8.5%
Churches	353,370	7.3%
Others	169,208	3.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,866,987</b>	<b>100%</b>



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## Profile of the College

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Cedarville College is a Baptist college of arts, sciences, and professional programs which serves over 2,450 students from nearly every state and around the world. Students choose from over 75 programs of study and volunteer for extensive community service and worldwide Christian ministries. Facilities on the 100-acre campus in Cedarville, Ohio house advanced instructional technology, such as CedarNet, the award-winning campus computer network. CedarNet features workstations in nearly every dormitory room and office and provides access to Internet and the World Wide Web.

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